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Compere, Garrett To Choose Armory Ground Next Week

Adjutant General and Assistant Will Visit City on Official Errand

LOCATIONS PRAISED

Letter From Little Rock Advises of Officials Coming Visit

State Adjutant General E. L. Compere and Assistant Adjutant Charles S. Garrett will come to Hope next week to make final selection of the site for the new armory building to be erected here, according to a letter received Thursday by Capt. Mack Duffie of the local National Guard company from Mr. Garrett.

The state officials are pleased with the field of possible locations, which was reported to Little Rock by a special committee of the Hope city council, the letter from the assistant adjutant general stated.

Backed by an appropriation from the legislature, the state military department is proposing to construct a \$25,000 National Guard armory in Hope if the city council will purchase the proper kind of a site. At a special meeting last month the council named an armory site committee, and assisted by members of the civic clubs, the Legion and the National Guard, the committee has rounded up all available lots for an armory location.

The letter received here Thursday suggested that the city be taken on certain of the lots offered, and the military department executives will make final selection on their visit here next week.

Clarendon Bridge Opened Thursday

Thousands Attend Opening Celebration of Costly Structure

CLARENDON, Ark.—(AP)—An eight point program for a economic rehabilitation was outlined by Senator Robinson, speaking at the dedication of a new million and a half dollar bridge here Thursday.

His program recommended a reduction of one cent in tariffs as an outlet for industrial and economic surpluses and a six hour day or five day week as means of absorbing surplus labor and least interference by the government with the private operation of business consistent with the proper safeguarding of the public.

Dwight Blackwood, chairman of the State Highway Commission made the dedicatory address.

CLARENDON, Ark.—(AP)—Clarendon Thursday will be the destination of thousands of automobiles loaded with visitors from practically every county in Eastern Arkansas as well as from Tennessee and Mississippi who will join in the celebration of the dedication of the new million and a half dollar bridge constructed by the state highway department across White river at this point.

The dedicatory address will be delivered by Dwight H. Blackwood, state highway commission chairman, under whose direction the structure was begun and completed. The structure will be christened by Miss Mary Elizabeth Bateman, recently chosen queen of the bridge celebration.

The principal address of the morning will be made by United States Senator Joe T. Robinson who has cancelled all other engagements in order to participate in the bridge opening.

Festivities for the day include an air circus, boating, swimming, baseball and the queen's ball.

The Clarendon bridge is the latest addition and the largest of the major bridge structures undertaken in the state highway department's bridge program. Including the dump and other bridge structures leading to the main span, the length is approximately three and a half miles.

Other major bridge projects already included by the state highway department during the past two years include: Arkansas river near Ozark, White river near Cotter, White river near Newport, White river near Augusta, Red river near Fulton, Ouachita river near Calion. Besides these, the highway department recently acquired the White river bridge near DeValls Bluff and has under construction bridges across Red river near Garland City and Ouachita river at Marie Saline Landing, near Felsenthal.

Three Arkansans to Finish West Point

LITTLE ROCK.—(AP)—Three Arkansas youths will graduate from the United States Military Academy at West Point, N. Y., the night of June 11. They are Robert Q. Brown, Dermott Forrest Caraway, Jonesboro, and Joseph Barlow Coolidge, Helena.

Ed McCorkle Opens State Press Meeting

Hope Man, President Arkansas Press Association, Reviews Stormy Period of 1930-31 in Convening 59th Session at Fort Smith Thursday

FORT SMITH, Ark.—(AP)—"One effect of hard times is to establish a common level, make for greater sympathy and understanding, and bring folks closer together," Ed McCorkle, of Hope, president of the Arkansas Press association, said Thursday in the president's address opening the 59th annual state convention here.

About 150 newspaper men are guests at the Grotto Country Club, where Fort Smith Chamber of Commerce, the Amrita Grotto, and J. S. Parks, and George C. Carney, owner of the Fort Smith Southwest American and the Times-Record, are entertaining the convention delegates.

Harry Robinson, business manager of the Fort Smith newspapers, extended the address of welcome to the Amrita Grotto; Mr. Parks, for the Fort Smith publishers, and George C. Carney, president of Fort Smith Chamber of Commerce, for the city of Fort Smith. The response for the visiting newspaper men was delivered by W. O. Trout, publisher of the Jonesboro Sun.

Among the feature addresses of the convention program, which will wind up here Saturday night, is a speech by Clarence F. Byrns, editor of the Southwest American.

President McCorkle's annual address was as follows:

It is altogether unnecessary for me to begin what I may say to you with the time-worn declaration "I am no speaker." You who know me are too well aware of that fact. It is equally obvious that the only excuse for my attempt is the established rule that there should be annually an address by the President of this body. However weak this may prove in comparison with those of my more worthy predecessors, I'll promise you just one mark of merit, brevity. And even for that I cannot claim personal credit, since it was the "Mrs. President" who adjured me to "stand up, speak up, and shut up!"

Keeping in mind the able address of Past President John P. Stafford, of the Springfield News, delivered at Pine Bluff last year, I'm sure that to run true to form what I have to say should include a resume of the activities of this Association during the past twelve months. Did I mention "form"? I am really afraid that there will be neither "shape, form nor fashion" found in this discourse, and for activities I'm reminded of that old story about the rooster:

This old bird, while stalling around the premises on which he and his harem resided, grew restive and flew over the fence and into the adjoining yard. There he found the egg of an ostrich, which he rolled under the fence and then rolled under the fence and into his own back yard. Calling the hens around him he then exclaimed with an air of great importance:

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County Depository Case Up June 15

Supreme Court Decision Expected Monday on Hempstead Case

The Hempstead county depository case appeal is scheduled for decision by the Arkansas Supreme Court next Monday, June 15.

The decision on the appeal will determine whether the county's deposit in the closed Arkansas Bank & Trust Co. is a preferred or common claim. W. S. Atkins, liquidating agent for the state banking department, is holding \$34,000 on a garnishment preferred by the county, the equivalent of a 10 per cent dividend on all deposits.

Should the banking department establish the county deposit as a common claim in the case before the supreme court, it would raise the total recovery for depositors to date to 40 per cent.

The county's contention is that Hope banks entered into an illegal agreement to restrict bidding on the county deposit, and that Arkansas Bank & Trust Co., obtaining the contract, redeposited part of the county funds in the First National and Citizens National. A similar action brought by Independence county against a bank at Batesville resulted in a decision against the county and for the state banking department.

Additional facts, however, required a supreme court decision in the Hempstead county case also, and by agreement between W. S. Atkins and Lemley & Lemley, attorneys for the state banking department, and Carriag & Monroe, attorneys for the county, the appeal was advanced on the supreme court docket.

200-Mile Tug Dash Saves 4 Americans

Gillham, Ark., Man One of Quartet Rushed to Medical Aid

BALBOA, C. Z.—(AP)—A 200-mile dash of a tug carrying medical relief and medical advice sent by radio are credited with saving the lives of four Americans who were dangerously ill of ptomaine poisoning at Cape Matia, lonely outpost of civilization where the Gulf of Panama sweeps into the Pacific.

The sick men were brought to Balboa Tuesday on the tug Sciota, which steamed at full speed through the Panama canal Monday, while other traffic was shunted aside, and hurried the remaining 90 miles distance to Cape Matia, in response to a call for aid.

Still suffering from high fevers, the patients, who are radio operators at the United States naval station at Barron Point, were transferred to the Gorgas hospital.

The men, who were said to have become ill after eating contaminated sea food, are Frank Freeman, Alexandria, La.; John Wine, Genoa, Italy; Dewey Puckett, Bushman, Texas, and Raymond Lowery, Gillham, Arkansas.

Young Republican Conference Opens

Fess and Brown Laud Hoover in Speeches Thursday Morning

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—Chairman Fess, Republican National Committee, opened a conference of young Republicans Thursday with the prediction that President Hoover would be renominated and re-elected.

Both Chairman Fess and Postmaster General Brown lauded the President as the party's leader.

Senator Fess termed Hoover's activities in the depression as "masterful and heroic," and Brown praised his "courage, patriotism, patience and wisdom."

Robert H. Lucas, executive director of the Republican National Committee presided at the conference, called for a discussion of general questions.

Lee G. Warren to Leave For Canada

Builder of Carpenter Dam Honored by Scouts and Rotarians

HOT SPRINGS.—Rotarians and Boy Scouts Wednesday united at the scout camp at Bonanza Springs to honor Lee G. Warren, superintendent of the Phoenix Construction Company, who built the Remmel and Carpenter dams for the Arkansas Power & Light Company. Warren leaves Thursday for Toronto, and from there will go inland 55 miles to the Abitibi river, where he will have charge of constructing the Abitibi dam, which will cost \$23,000,000, and which will develop 300,000 horse power. It is being built for the Abitibi Paper Company.

William M. Tracy, master mechanic on the Carpenter dam project, will accompany the engineer to Canada and will assist on the Abitibi project. Their schedule here has been carried out.

Mr. Warren, who is a member of the Rotary Club, said he hopes to return when the Arkansas Power & Light Company proceeds with the three projects in the White river vicinity, and with another proposed dam job on the Ouachita river.

Two dams will be built on the White river, one at the Wildcat shoals, six miles north of Cotter. The Wildcat shoals dam, the first, will cost approximately \$28,000,000 and the other will cost about \$8,000,000 each. The other dam to be constructed in that vicinity is on the Buffalo river, near Yellville, and will cost \$7,000,000.

F. G. Ward, Hope Druggist, Elected Organization Head

Convention of Arkansas Druggists Is Held at Fort Smith

TO CLOSE THURSDAY

Installation of Officers and 1932 Meeting Place on Program Thursday

FORT SMITH.—Three hundred Arkansas druggists met at the Masonic temple, Wednesday and elected Frank G. Ward of Hope, president of the Arkansas Pharmaceutical Association. Charles T. Hall of El Dorado was re-elected first vice president; Julian Owenby of Fayetteville, second vice president; J. H. Poch, Jr., North Little Rock, re-elected treasurer and Ed D. Oslin, Little Rock, re-elected secretary.

Charles R. O'Malley, service engineer and merchandising counsel of Druggists Supply Corporation, New York, discussed merchandising methods at the afternoon session.

He stressed particularly the use of odd-cent prices, and said one of the largest department stores in the world, in New York, uses more than 2,000,000 pennies a week in making change. O'Malley also discussed the reduction of operating costs.

Entertainment Features
Wednesday and Wednesday night were replete with entertainment. Breakfast was held at the Ward Hotel in the morning with the district chairman of 15 districts as honor guest.

An all-day party for children was held at the homes of Mrs. Max Friend and Mrs. George Engelhart in Hillcrest. Just before noon a special entertainment and luncheon bridge was held for women guests at Hardscrabble Country Club.

The annual banquet was held at night at Goldman hotel, with C. R. Counts, Mulberry, as toastmaster. Later the delegates attended a dance at Hardscrabble Country Club.

Closed Session Held
Wednesday afternoon the druggists held a closed session, for retail druggists only, at the Masonic temple, where officers were chosen and delegates to the national convention named. Max W. Friend, Legislative Committee chairman, led the general discussions, and Booker Latimer of De Witt and J. E. Berry of Smackover directed round-table discussions.

Thursday the last day of the convention, Clyde Kelley, congressman from the Thirty-third district, Pennsylvania, will be the principal speaker. Reports of committee chairmen, installation of officers, and selection of the 1932 convention city will follow.

Blytheville Girl Wins in National Essay Contest

SEARCY, Ark.—(AP)—Miss Kathryn Grear, of Blytheville, a student at Galloway College, won second place in a national essay contest sponsored by the Federated Council of Churches of Christ in America. Miss Grear's essay on "Christ and World Fellowship" won a prize of \$100.

State Law Requires Wagon to Have Light

State C. of C. Suggests Use of Safety Reflection on Farm Vehicles

LITTLE ROCK.—Arkansas farmers have it within their power to save perhaps a dozen lives, prevent the injury of scores of people, the killing or crippling of horses and mules and damage to thousands of dollars worth of wagons and automobiles during the next few months if they will only do so, says the Arkansas State Chamber of Commerce. The chamber has reference to collisions between motor cars and wagons on the highways after nightfall.

Hardly a month passes without the death of at least one motorist or wagon driver as a result of such accidents and where one fatality occurs in a crash of this kind and there are a dozen non-fatal ones simply because wagon drivers do not display a lantern or some other type of warning.

The state law requires that wagons on the road after dark must display a light and while highway patrolmen, so far as known, have made no arrests for violation they are stopping unlighted wagons and warning the drivers.

The hazard to unlighted wagons is tremendous, says the chamber, and never more so than now when improved highways permit the movement of motor cars at high speed. It is virtually impossible to distinguish an unlighted wagon on the road if another car is approaching, no matter how dim its headlights may be.

Bulletins

PHILADELPHIA.—(AP)—Dr. Edward Henry Cary of Dallas, Texas Thursday was elected President of American Medical Association. He is emeritus dean of the Baylor University college of medicine and will assume office at the next annual meeting of the association.

TOLEDO, Ohio.—(AP)—Captain M. M. Ruder, of the 108th Observation Squadron of the Illinois National Guard was killed and Captain Koshak was seriously injured in an airplane crash Thursday. Thomas White of Chicago, a passenger was burned.

BERLIN.—(AP)—Chancellor Brüning Thursday received full accord of the cabinet regarding the week-end conversations at Chequers with Prime Minister MacDonald.

HOT SPRINGS.—(AP)—Russy Brown, Hot Springs, was two up on Steve Crookmore, of Ft. Smith, defending the champion end of the first nine holes of a thirty-six hole finals of the Arkansas Golf association tournament. Each were shooting below par golf.

Saline Treasurer Victim of Suicide

George Fish, Serving 3rd Term as an Official of County

BENTON, Ark.—(AP)—George Fish, 40, serving his third term as treasurer of Saline county, died at his home early Thursday from what Coroner James P. Simms said was self-administered poison.

He is survived by a widow, two daughters and one son.

275 Are Enrolled at Summer School

Is Twenty-ninth Annual Session Conducted by H. C. Yerger

The Shover Street Summer School for negro teachers began its second week with 275 teachers from 12 counties enrolled.

Hope's summer school has been conducted for the past 29 years by Prof. H. C. Yerger, and is one of the three summer schools for colored teachers in the state.

Instructors are: E. N. Glover, T. A. Hamilton, W. L. McMillan, J. F. Ingram, J. A. Harris, Iola Upchurch, Annie Bobo and Myrtle Yerger.

The home economics department has an enrollment of 150, under the supervision of Iola Upchurch. The teachers are getting actual practice in home science. They are canning vegetables, fruits and meats.

Little Poggess in Rogers Caldwell Hearing Thursday

More Than Hour Spent by Counsel in Reading Documents

PAPERS IDENTIFIED

Financier Charged With Fraudulent Breach of Trust

NASHVILLE, Tenn.—(AP)—The trial of Rogers Caldwell, financier, got off to a slow start Thursday as the prosecution counsel spent more than an hour reading three legal documents after delaying the proceedings half an hour by conferences.

Two of the documents were identified by Judge M. R. Hiser of Hardeman county court as copies of resolutions providing for county road bond issues.

He identified the third document as a copy of an offer from Caldwell and Company to buy \$200,000 worth of bonds.

Caldwell is charged with fraudulent breach of trust in connection with transactions subsequent to the purchase of bonds.

China Minister Resigns Thursday

Political Reason is Given in Report to Washington

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—The Chinese legation announced Thursday that Minister Chau Chu Wu had resigned, but declined to go into details, saying the resignation was for political reasons.

The legation attache said the minister was out of sympathy with the Nanking government.

A number of prominent Nanking officials recently have gone over to the Cantonese movement against the Nanking administration.

Three From Sayre, Ark., Were en Route to Camden

CAMDEN.—Jesse Turner, aged 29, of Sayre, was killed and his wife severely bruised when a roadster in which they were riding left the Hampton highway about four miles east of Camden about 2 p. m. Wednesday afternoon.

Turner was rushed to the hospital here by a Proctor ambulance but he died soon after reaching the hospital. His chest was crushed and he received internal injuries.

His wife who is 18 years old received a severe bruise on the forehead and other cuts and bruises. Her condition is not serious.

Miss Ruby James, aged 16, also of Sayre in the roadster with the Turner couple escaped unhurt. She said Turner was driving and that they were coming to Camden. The car left the highway and overturned when Turner lost control.

The accident happened just beyond the "Y" at a filling station on highway No. 4.

Average Income of Okla. Farms Given

Statistics Prepared by Secretary of State School Land Commission

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla.—(AP)—Average annual gross income per farm in Oklahoma during the last three years has been \$1,379.84, according to statistics prepared for A. L. Beckett, secretary of the state school land commission by D. P. Trent, head of the extension division of the Oklahoma A. and M. college.

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Taunted By School Mates, Boy Suicides

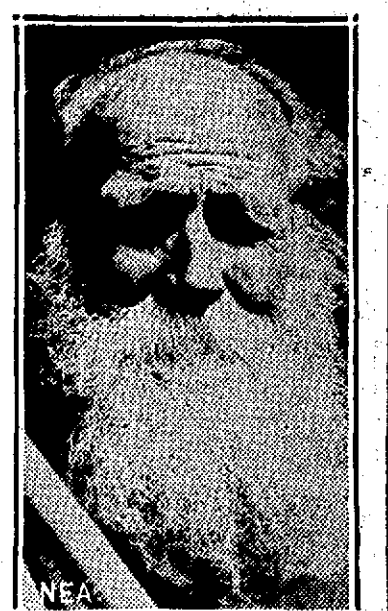
Body of Youth Found in Cloak Room of Public School

NEWARK, N. J.—Stephen Lovenguth, eight, of East Orange, N. J., a pupil in the Gregory Avenue Grammar School, hanged himself in the cloak room Thursday afternoon, police were told, because he was unable to withstand the taunts of the other pupils in the class room as a result of his having been ordered by his teacher to "stand in the cloak room until school is dismissed."

Miss Gertrude Harris, the teacher, told police that the lad had been disobedient in the class room and she punished him by having him stand in the cloak room.

When the session was dismissed the lad was still standing in a corner of the room, and as the pupils filed past him to get their hats and coats they each had something to say to him.

Cult Leader



John Christian Armand, above, 60-year-old hermit of Fairfax County, Va., and one-time follower of King Benjamin Funnell, of the House of David, has decided to become a religious leader in his own right. He is reported to have been wealthy, he has sold his land and is to begin a preaching trek to Michigan to start a cult.

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Importers Protest Duty On Cement

Tariff Commission Told Foreign Producers Unable to Compete in U. S.

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—British and Belgian importers, told the Tariff Commission Thursday the duty on cement practically had stopped importations into this country. M. W. Richardson, president of the Philadelphia Export Company, speaking as an importer, said:

"We are wrecked; we're out of it; we can't compete now with the American product."

E. R. Hollander, representing the British firm, Ferrocrete Import Company, of New York, and L. P. E. Giffroy of New Orleans, American agent for the Cementeries Brigueletier Rianis, Belgian co-operative export organization, said the 1930 tariff act establishing a six per cent per 100 pounds duty on cement had decreased their business.

Hollander said that since last November his firm had imported no high grade cement, and in the last year had shipped to the United States no ordinary cement.

Richardson criticized American mills for having "watered" their stock, adding:

"A modern mill, well located, with average labor costs, makes lots of money and doesn't need a tariff to protect it against foreign cement. My opinion is the tariff has wrecked us."

Arkadelphia Girl Now In Hollywood

Reports to Her Mother She Has Doubled for Helen Twelvrees

ARKADELPHIA, Ark.—(AP)—A little more than a year ago a girl student in Arkadelphia high school walked into a photographer's studio and said she wanted her picture taken.

"Good gracious, girl," exclaimed the photographer as he adjusted the camera, "with that hair you ought to get into the movies."

"I'm going to try," replied the girl, Thelma Green.

Now comes word from the girl in Hollywood to her mother here that she has "doubled" for Helen Twelvrees. She is in demand by art photographers as a model for magazine illustrations.

Rescue Depends on Speedy Action Say Naval Officials

Salvage Ship Carrying Relief Equipment Rushing to Aid

ENTOMBED TUESDAY

Eight of Eighteen Men Thought to Be Alive in Submarine

TSINGTAO, China.—(AP)—Efforts to save 18 men trapped in the sunken British submarine Poseidon, off the coast of Weihaiwei, China Tuesday afternoon after a collision with another ship spurred Thursday after naval officials said they firmly believed the men still were alive and their rescue depended solely on speedy action.

The American salvage ship, Pileon, carrying modern compressed air equipment was expected to arrive at 5 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

Little Progress Made
WEIHAIWEI, China.—(AP)—A battle to rescue the eight men trapped in the steel hulk of the British submarine Poseidon was waged Wednesday on the waters of the north Yellow sea.

There still was hope among the officers of British ships assembled at the scene of the disaster that, with the aid of a Japanese salvage tug, they might raise the stricken vessel before the foul air of its interior overcame the imprisoned men.

The Poseidon's parent ship, the Medway, was reported to have succeeded in establishing communication with the eight men who were trapped in a rear compartment when the submarine sank in 20 fathoms after a collision Tuesday.

The prisoners reported themselves uninjured, but the length of time they would be able to survive with the limited supply of oxygen necessarily was fast diminishing.

So far as the Medway could establish, only eight of the 18 men missing remained alive. It was assumed that the others were drowned in one of the forward compartments, which were flooded when the Chinese steamer Yuta ripped a great hole in the Poseidon just forward of the conning tower.

Rear Admiral Charles Butler McVay Jr., commander-in-chief of the American Asiatic squadron, has placed all his resources at the disposal of British naval authorities. He also instructed the destroyer, which is spending the summer at Shefoo, to render every possible assistance.

The United States submarine rescue vessel Pigeon also had been ordered to the scene of the disaster from Tsingtao to aid in the salvage operations.

Already grouped near the spot where the submarine went down are seven British ships and one Japanese vessel.

Consider Leasing County Prisoners

Citizens of Faulkner Want Relief From Extra Taxation

CONWAY, Ark.—(AP)—Leasing of prisoners of the Conway and Faulkner county jails to State Representative W. C. Graham for use on his Lonoke county plantation is being considered by city and county officials.

Mr. Graham has conferred with County Judge J. A. Lea, Sheriff Neel Webb, Mayor H. D. Russell and Municipal Judge W. M. Harrell, and these officials asked time in which to consider the lease.

Faulkner county has no county prison farm, and officials said cost of keeping them in jail has proven burdensome to tax payers.

Arkansas City Man Is Accused of Stealing Car

PINE BLUFF.—S. W. Bryan of Arkansas City waived examination before U. S. Commissioner Coy M. Nixon, and was held under bond of \$1,000 for an alleged violation of the Dyer act, in connection with the theft of an automobile from R. J. House in Galveston, Tex.

Bryan said he brought the car from a second hand dealer in Galveston. Deputy United States Marshal Stuckert made the arrest.

Conference Is Held on Proposed Sale of Post

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—Mrs. Edward B. McLean, estranged wife of the publisher of the Washington Post, conferred with her attorneys Wednesday regarding the projected sale of the paper to David Lawrence, publisher of the United States Daily.

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The Star's Platform

CITY
Apply the revenues of the municipal power plant to develop the industrial and social resources of Hope.
More city pavement in 1931, and improved sanitary conditions in the alleys and business back-yards.
Support the Chamber of Commerce.

COUNTY
A county highway program providing for the construction of a certain amount of all-weather-road each year, to gradually reduce the dirt-road mileage.
Political and economic support for every scientific agricultural program which offers practical benefits to Hempstead county's greatest industry.
Encourage farmer organizations, believing that co-operative effort is as practical in the country as it is in town.

STATE
Continued progress on the state highway program.
Fearless tax reform, and a more efficient government through the budget system of expenditures.
Free Arkansas from the cattle tick.

This Thing We Call Law

THE lieutenant governor furloughed a local embezzler the same day he arrived at the penitentiary, and neither this newspaper, local public opinion or the courts could do anything about it.

The lieutenant governor pardoned his own brother the same day he was sentenced for embezzlement in Union county—and there's nothing the circuit court can do about that either.

BUT—a sand and gravel company that had been fined fifty dollars for violating a court order prohibiting it from dumping refuse in a creek near Lewisville, had the fine remitted by the lieutenant governor, and instantly the attorney general sprang to action, saying:

"This fine must be paid. The lieutenant governor's action is an unauthorized effort of the executive department to take over the functions of the judiciary."

And the fine was paid.

Pardoning embezzlers the same day a circuit court judge solemnly pronounces sentence upon them, is the license of the lieutenant governor; but when he remits a fifty-dollar fine in an obscure drainage injunction case he is guilty of "taking over the functions of the judiciary."

It is all very strange to the man in the street. But it is this thing we call law—and it illustrates perfectly how the law can keep a straight face while reciting a chapter that sounds ridiculous.

As a matter of fact, the attorney general is only following legal tradition when he says that the lieutenant governor cannot violate the rights of the chancery court to inflict punishment for contempt.

The average man will wonder why civil procedure appears so clear, when the criminals courts are so badly confused. But civil law is based on property rights. Chancellor J. Y. Stevens in restraining the Meriweather Sand & Gravel Co. from polluting Bodcaw creek, was moved to that action by the representation that the property of other citizens would suffer loss unless the pollution stopped.

If the lieutenant governor's remission of the contempt fine had been permitted to stand, then, theoretically at least, no owner of property could be certain of obtaining redress in a civil court.

Applying the same argument to criminal procedure, you will say that if the lieutenant governor can nullify the criminal courts, then society has no redress against murderers, embezzlers and the like. That is true.

But where the ancient history of the law recognizes the courts as the final arbiter of impersonal matters such as property rights, it is more lenient in personal matters such as trial for a crime. The law has always allowed more or less latitude in the appeal of criminal judgments to the political ruler, whether a king, a president, or a governor.

It is this recognition of the shadow of another power behind the criminal court bench, which is society's undoing, particularly in the Southern and Southwestern States.

When a court passes on a civil matter, the appeal is to another court, and it is a court that writes the final, irrevocable judgement. But when a court passes on a criminal issue, the appeal is to the governor's office, and politics writes the end.

The court hands down a civil verdict, and the door is closed. In all history it never has been opened again.

But when the court hands down a criminal judgement, and the governor reverses that judgement, the court only shrugs its shoulders. It closed the door once—but it's the kind of a door nobody can keep closed.

Attorney General Norwood did a good deed by giving publicity to his stand against the remission of the contempt fine. He has placed the two branches of the judiciary in glaring contrast—and his judgment is an inspiration to continue our efforts to wipe out Arkansas' eternal shame by forcing a revision of the clemency law that will take the pardon power away from the governor's office, where no man has sat without abusing it for the last generation.

We Too Favor an Audit

ELSEWHERE in this paper is a letter from J. H. Myers concerning the proposed audit of the Arkansas highway department.

Mr. Myers declares that he favors a regular audit of the highway department by a nationally known firm of auditors "because of business conviction and not as a concession to those who clamor for an audit because of political inspiration."

Mr. Myers' statement is well put and he probably expresses the general opinion.

Most people feel that all public funds—city, county and state—should be audited regularly, and audits and records be made accessible because of business conviction and not as a reflection on those handling public funds nor because of political inspiration.

They like publicity on how public moneys are expended. Provision for publication of the school budget has been made for the first time by the state legislature and the budget will be published next year before the school election. This is well. Provision for publication of all receipts and expenditures of all public moneys should be made and would be well worth what it costs.—Fayetteville Democrat.

OUT OUR WAY —By Williams



News Of Other Days From the Columns of The Star of Hope

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO.
Mrs. Fred Brazil and little daughter left Thursday morning for a visit to her parents at Locksburg. Fred, we extend sympathy.

A party consisting of Col. A. G. Lowry, Capt. J. H. Black, E. C. Allen and W. S. Brookes and Mesdames Hervey, Reaves, Hanagan and Lowry spent a delightful day at Judge Hanagan's plantation on Clear Lake yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hutchison and Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Key are fishing at Beard's Lake.

TEN YEARS AGO
John Johnson arrived last night from Subiaco College, where he has been attending school the past term, and will spend the summer here with his father, Chas. F. Johnson.

Mac Anderson, an old Hope boy, who is now in the insurance business at Little Rock, arrived last night to attend the Arnold-Davis wedding.

Taylor Bowden, a former resident of this city, and a son of G. W. Bowden, deceased, has recently been ordained a Baptist minister at Orange, Texas, where he now makes his home.

BARBS

This is likely to be the sort of a summer when a business man won't have to leave his office to go into the country for rest and quiet.

Well, anyway, the elevator starter seems to be able to make a go of things.

Paul Whiteman is said to be the only dance band leader in "Who's Who." To be sure, he's a pretty big man.

Those Belgian balloonists, pointing to the success of their recent ascension, can say, "It's in the bag."

A movie is like a war; success often depends upon the effectiveness of the "shots."

When a man calls a vase a "vazze," you know what his wife calls it.

The tragedy of the flea is that he knows for a certainty that all his children will go to the dogs.

Funeral Flowers Build Homes for Aged Swedes

STOCKHOLM.—(AP)—The "Flower Home Fund," founded by Alma Hedlin, sister of the explorer, Dr. Steven Hedlin is celebrating its tenth anniversary.

Its idea is that money ordinarily spent on flowers at funerals should be contributed to homes for the aged.

Today there are two fine "flower homes" in Stockholm, with modern, cosy apartments, and six more are nearing completion. The occupants pay nominal rent and have life leases.

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Slump in Silver Booms Real Estate in Canton

CANTON, China.—(AP)—The low value of silver has caused a boom in real estate here. Land prices have risen 80 per cent since the first of the year.

The heaviest investors are Chinese living in the United States. With one gold dollar worth five in silver, they have been sending considerable sums in American currency for investment in Canton lots.

In the business district a general reconstruction is under way. Old wooden buildings are coming down and modern office and shop structures are going up.

Sixty-six North Carolina farmers were awarded certificates as "Live-at-Home Grade A" farmers by the state college.

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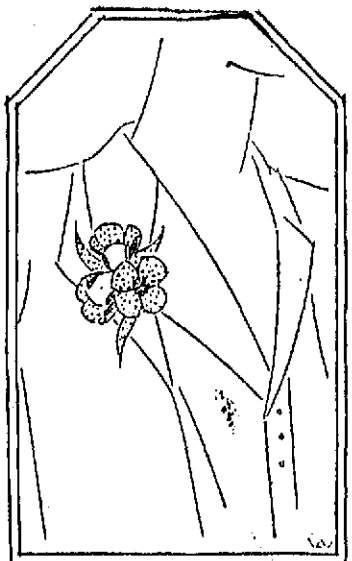
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While from the sunset's glow they plucked the red—
As 'fitting tribute to heroic dead.
The lily's virgin color for the white they picked.
'Twas thus you saw the light.
And then the stars! They waited till the night.
Had cast its mantle shutting out the light.
Of day, into your field of blue there crept
The stars. Within your folds there slept
The principles, Right! Justice! Love! Humanity!
That all the world, who gazing high, might see
Thus were you born, twas thus you saw the light.
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A NEW note in boutonniere is the use of white pigskin to match the gloves.

Marshall of Texarkana, were overnight guests of Miss Maggie Bell and I. T. Bell, Sr.

Mrs. Harold Ward and little son Robert and Misses Whitfield and Josephine Canon and Mattie Evans left Thursday morning for a motor trip to Vicksburg, Biloxi and other points of interest in Mississippi and New Orleans, La.

Mrs. Charles Haynes, Mrs. James R. Henry Sr., Mrs. R. T. White, Mrs. J. M. Houston and Mrs. J. A. Henry attended the meeting of the Daughters of the American Revolution, Thursday at the Little River Country club, at which time, the Hope chapter, will meet with the DeQueen and Prescott chapters in a special Flag Day program, with Mrs. W. H. Arnold of Texarkana, state regent and Mrs. Martin L. Sigmon of Monticello, vice president General as guests of honor.

Miss Margaret McGee of Texarkana is the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Weaver.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Wellborn left Thursday morning for a visit in Albuquerque, N. M., the grand canyon, Los Angeles, Calif., and other points of interest in the West.

Miss Harriett Grace Story entertained most delightfully at Bridge, Wednesday afternoon at her home on West Second street. Larkspur, sweet peas and pink roses, carried out a charming color note of pink in the decorations, which were matched with the accessories for five tables for bridge. Little Miss Lenora Hatley of Warren, passed the tallies. The high score favor went to Miss Doris Moses, the cut to Miss Virginia Higginson. Out of town guests were Mrs. Thomas Carter of Monroe, La., and Misses Elizabeth Cummins and Mrs. Preston McCough of Prescott. Following the game, a delicious strawberry ice was served with cake.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harrell have as house guests, Miss Aline Tippet of Prescott, Mrs. Hampton Waddell of

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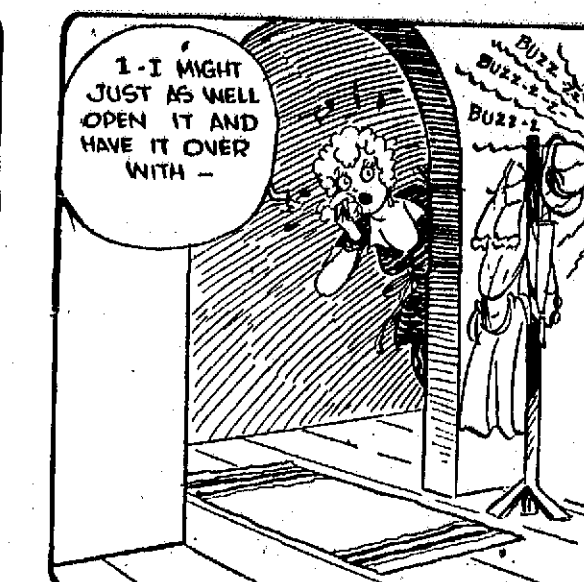
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Mrs. C. A. Thornton and daughter, Ruth, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Harrell and Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Harrell left Wednesday for their home in Helena, Okla.

The Althean Class of the First Baptist Sunday School entertained at their annual picnic, Tuesday evening at the American Legion Golf Course. About fifty were present, and following a most tempting picnic lunch, miniature golf was enjoyed throughout the evening.

Mrs. R. B. Stanford had as guests on Wednesday afternoon at her home on South Elm street the members of the Wednesday Contract Bridge Club and a number of special guests. The rooms were beautifully decorated with summer flowers, with pink gladioli predominating and attractively arranged for four tables. Prizes went to Mrs. W. H. Hutchinson and Mrs. Robert Campbell. Mrs. B. B. Brown of Baton Rouge, La., was presented with a dainty gift of remembrance. At the conclusion of the game, the hostess served a delightful strawberry ice, with angel food cake.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Strickland have returned to their home on South Elm street from Thibodaux, La. They have as their guest Miss Helen Wright of Natchitoches, La., a cousin of Mrs. Strickland.

Work Horse Show Wants No Blue Blood Equines

PITTSBURGH, Pa.—(AP)—The sponsors of work horse shows are just as particular about permitting entrance of aristocrats of the horse world in their shows as society folks are about allowing work horses in their blue ribbon contests.

Dave and Al, two horses who pull a truck for the city of Pittsburgh, were rule out of the annual work horse show here because they once had won a prize in another show. A pair of their stablemates, however, won the prize from the 800 other contestants.

Pirate Outfielder Makes Double Play Unassisted

CHICAGO—(AP)—Outfielders don't often make a double play unassisted, but Adam Comorosky has one to his credit.

It happened in a Cubs-Pirates game here. There was one out and Kiki Cuyler of the Cubs was on second. Comorosky, in left field for the Pirates, came in fast to catch a low line fly hit by Woody English. Cuyler apparently thought it was a sure hit or that there were two out, so he started for home. Comorosky carried the ball in, touched second, and made the double killing.

Brazil Rent Law Brings Funds to Official Bank

RIO DE JANEIRO.—(AP)—The provisional government of Brazil has decreed that the three months' advance rent, which all tenants must pay, shall be deposited in a government

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operated savings bank. Hitherto the landlords have had the use of these funds which were legally demanded from renters of apartments, houses and business offices.

The tenant now gets four per cent interest but the landlord is protected by a certificate naming him as payee should the tenant default in rent.

Two Killed in Battle of Hijackers, 'Shiner.

DENVER.—(AP)—At least two men were dead and two wounded Tuesday as the result of what police said was a gun fight between a party of hijackers and the operators of a liquor still on a ranch east of Denver.

The dead were identified as Lawrence Jackson and Vinnie Dicker, both of Denver, and the wounded are John Snyder and James Smith. All four, police said, are hijackers.

New York Challenged By Murder Confession

NEW YORK.—(AP)—A murder case with a confession but without a corpus delicti challenged the state of New York Tuesday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Zubrisky was ordered held without bail on a charge of murder in connection with the presumed death of her husband, Andrew, a speakeasy owner.

Charles Obietes, who roomed with

Protecting Dome of U. S. Capitol

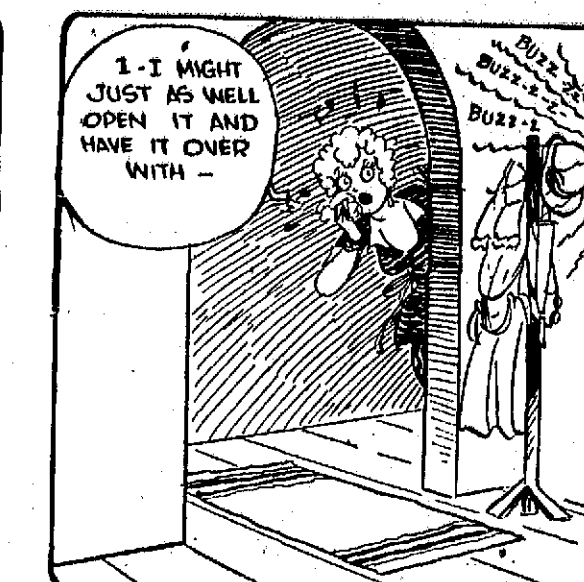


Not even lightning will be able to damage the huge figure of the Goddess of Freedom atop the dome of the Capitol at Washington. For the statue's coronet has been fitted with special metal tips designed to carry off harmlessly any stray electrical charges. Here you see workmen 28 feet above the ground at their job of reconditioning the dome and figure.

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the Zubrisky's, has confessed killing Zubrisky, dismembering the body, and disposing of the parts in various places.

Two Negroes Indicted For Brutal Ax Murder

WATER VALLEY, Miss.—(AP)—Sam Whitaker, 17, and Emmett Shaw, 40,

negroes accused of the ax slayings of W. B. Wagner, Water Valley merchant-banker, and his wife, in their home here May 4, were indicted Tuesday on first degree murder charges and their trials set to begin Thursday. Both pleaded not guilty.

Whitaker, former house boy in the Wagner home, will be tried first. The trial of Shaw was set for Friday.

WARNING ORDER

In the Hempstead Chancery Court
J. H. Haynes Plaintiff,
vs.
Robert T. Swafford, et al Defendants.

The defendants, Robert T. Swafford and Lulu V. Swafford, his wife and A. C. Cavender and Lillian L. Cav-

ender, his wife, are hereby warned to appear in this court within thirty days and answer the complaint of the plaintiff herein.

Witness my hand and seal as clerk of said court on this 10th day of June, 1931.

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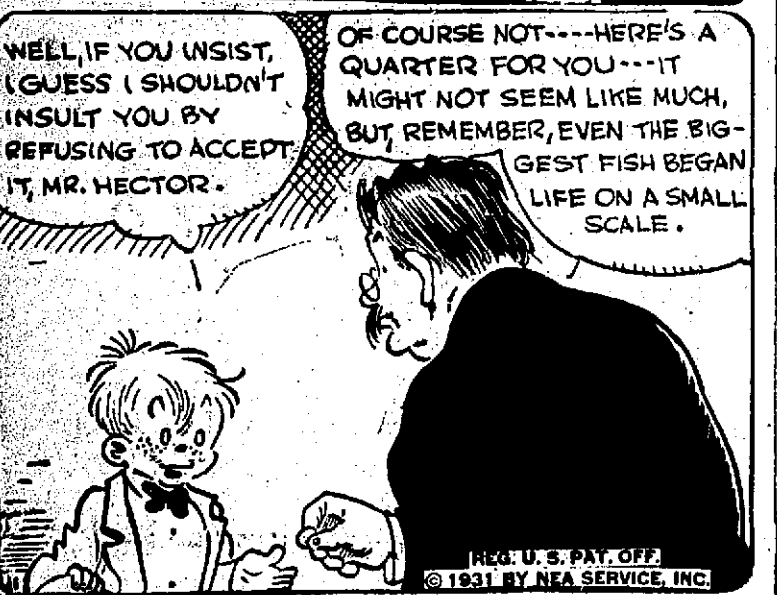


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Sharps and Flats A Department In Which The Editor of The Star Plays His Own Piano

I am looking for a Republican. An argument came up yesterday which I happened to overhear. It concerned which of two pictures the boys were going to use on the front page of The Star. I understood one was Mr. Hoover's picture, and the other was the picture of a sea-going yacht.

I told the News Editor he had better use Mr. Hoover's picture, because if he used the picture of the yacht he would only make a lot of Bolsheviks out of people, but if he used Mr. Hoover's picture he might make them Democrats.

I see he used the yacht picture, and while the News Editor and the Foreman are now trying to convince me that I misunderstood, and that the picture was actually of Mr. Hoover's yacht, I still think it's all messed up and somebody's to blame. Don't ever get in late on an argument. Somebody will always remind you that something went on beforehand which you didn't hear.

The Department of the Treasury reported last Monday that during the month of May the per capita circulation of money increased 35 cents. I was going to write a paragraph

Painful Piles

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Cards Are Beaten Badly By Boston

St. Louis Loses 13 to 4—Washington Gains Half Game on A's

The Cardinals took a fancy pasting from the lowly Boston Braves Wednesday. St. Louis losing on its home grounds 13 to 4. Paul Derringer, recruit pitcher, was shelled off the mound for St. Louis early in the game, and the Boston club got three more runs off Lindsey, who succeeded him. The Cincinnati Reds made it seven victories out of the last eight games with a win over Brooklyn 10-3. Sharley Root, on the mound for the Chicago Cubs, held the Phillies to four hits, and the Cubs won 3-0. Larry French beat the Giants 5 to 1, the Pittsburgh hurler limiting the New Yorkers to three hits.

In the American League, the Washington Senators pulled up to within four and a half games of the Philadelphia Athletics, by defeating Cleveland 9 to 4, while the A's were idle. Sam Jones started for Washington, but was yanked in the fifth inning, to be replaced by Marberry. It was the

first time in 10 starts that Jones failed to go the full route. It was Marberry's first relief job since his injury in New York May 21. Credit for his victory, however, went to Jones, Washington being in the lead at the time he retired and Marberry bringing the Senators through in safe fashion.

The Standings

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION

Club	W.	L.	Pc.
Birmingham	39	20	.661
Chattanooga	30	26	.536
New Orleans	29	28	.509
Atlanta	28	28	.500
Memphis	27	29	.482
Little Rock	26	28	.481
Mobile	24	33	.421
Nashville	22	33	.400

Wednesday's Results
Atlanta 7, Little Rock 6.
Mobile 11, Nashville 4.
Birmingham 2, Memphis 1.
Chattanooga 4, New Orleans 2.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Club	W.	L.	Pc.
Philadelphia	35	11	.761
Washington	32	17	.653
New York	25	20	.556
Cleveland	25	23	.521

Chicago	18	28	.391
St. Louis	16	26	.381
Detroit	19	33	.365
Boston	17	29	.370

Wednesday's Results
Washington 9, Cleveland 4.
Others rained out.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Club	W.	L.	Pc.
St. Louis	30	14	.682
New York	26	19	.578
Chicago	26	19	.578
Boston	23	23	.500
Brooklyn	22	26	.458
Pittsburgh	21	25	.457
Philadelphia	20	25	.444
Cincinnati	16	33	.327

Wednesday's Results
Boston 13, St. Louis 4.
Cincinnati 10, Brooklyn 3.
Pittsburgh 5, New York 1.
Chicago 3, Philadelphia 0.

Sialone

The farmers sure would like to see a good rain, the crops are getting dry. The people at this community are busy chopping cotton. Miss Milna Waldrip of Texarkana spent Saturday night with Miss Pauline Martin.

Harold Martin, Miss Pauline Martin and Mr. Hollis Spencer went to prayer meeting Sunday night at Wilkesville.

Sheppard

Health is good at this writing. Mr. and Mrs. John Harvel and mother Harvel of Battle Field were the dinner guests of Finas Harvel and family. Mr. and Mrs. Jordan McBay and daughter, Lillian Maud, attended Prayer meeting at Battle Field Sunday night. Mrs. Pearl Cornelius was the supper guest of Mrs. Bessie Harvel of Battle Field. Mrs. Lizzie Simmons of Seminole, Okla., and children and Paul Abbott of Wewoka, Okla., are visiting relatives at Nashville and Sheppard.

Former Bank Official Free on Swindle Count

LOUISVILLE, Ky.—(AP)—Charles F. Jones, former vice president of the Bank of Kentucky company, was dismissed Tuesday in criminal court here on a charge of embezzlement of \$2,000,000.

Council Bluffs Fixing Things For Its Fish

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Iowa.—All sorts of fish, carp and bass that inhabit the cold and icy water of Lake Manly here are having a pleasant, cozy winter, thanks to the Council Bluffs Chamber of Commerce. For years and years the poor fish have frozen stiff in the chilly water. This year the state fish and game department, at the suggestion of the Chamber of Commerce, is injecting oxygen into the lake. This method of fish preservation has never before been tried in Iowa.

Student Shot During Holdup Is Unchanged

NEW ORLEANS.—(AP)—Trimble E. Winborn, Jr., Tulane University honor student shot down Monday after he had held up and robbed a street car crew, remained in a critical condition Tuesday. Physicians reported he had "an even chance to recover." At his bedside were his mother and father of Coldwater, Miss., who arrived here Tuesday morning after press reports had told of their son's wounding. Instead of the honors they had expected to read about in accounts of commencement exercises.

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BERYL BORDEN loves TOMMY WILSON and she is determined to win him. Her half-sister, IRENE EVERETT, is the only person who knows her secret. When she tells and Beryl accuses a radio contract, Beryl tries to forget her hopeless love by going to parties with PRENTISS GAYLORD. Irene learns Prentiss is rich and tries to win him from Beryl.

Tommy's aunt dies and he loses both job and money through her husband. Tommy tells Irene and she helps him. When Prentiss asks her to marry him she agrees. In despite Tommy's dislike heavily and John's evil companions, Beryl finds him and tries to cheer him up. Fearing Beryl will expose her deceit, Irene slips away and marries Prentiss.

Now go on with the story

CHAPTER XXXVIII

TOMMY nodded in agreement. "Yes," he said grimly, "I guess she will. But she must have known she never amount to much. That's the reason she threw me over probably."

"Never amount to much?" Beryl flashed angrily. "You've come through and that's what counts." Tommy disagreed. "You're responsible for what I've done. I can't take any credit."

Beryl shook her head in denial. "Don't believe that," she said earnestly. "I simply asked you to make good on a debt I felt you owed me, and you did it. You deserve all the credit for that. But I hope you don't feel it's necessary to you don't respect to have anyone's approval."

"No," Tommy said slowly. "It isn't that." Beryl, tremulous and eager, felt hope die as her companion hesitated for words.

He went on then to talk of other things and did not mention Irene again. Beryl could not know what it meant to him to think of meeting his sweetheart as another man's wife.

She worried over Tommy all the way home, forgetting to prepare herself for her meeting with her sister. The family were still at the dinner table when she arrived. Irene did not rise to greet her.

Beryl hesitated an instant, then said casually, "Hello. How are you?"

Irene knew then that Beryl had not wanted her to come home. "And I think," she said to herself, "that I can guess the reason."

"Mama tells me you drove Tommy to school," she remarked sweetly and sighed. "Poor Tommy. I'm so glad he stopped associating with those horrid Larkin boys."

Beryl looked at her mother but Mrs. Everett avoided the glance. "How is Gaylord?" Beryl asked. Irene did not answer and Beryl sensed tension in the atmosphere. She looked inquiringly from one to the other, but no one gave her any information about Gaylord.

SUDDENLY Irene broke the silence by jumping to her feet and crying to her mother in broken accents, "I can't go through it again. You tell her!" Then she put a handkerchief to her face and ran swiftly from the room.

Beryl turned back to her mother, whose expression was a mixture of embarrassment and dismay. Her stepfather too looked restless. Beryl sat down in the chair that Irene had vacated, pushing the empty plate before her aside.

Her mother made a futile movement. "Now don't take that tone," she began, but her husband, who had decided to enlighten Beryl, cut her short.

"Tell her! Tell her!" he exclaimed vociferously. "Let her take it anyway she wants to. It's had enough for you to encourage the little fool, but you can't expect everyone else to sympathize with her."

Mrs. Everett flushed angrily. "Your own daughter!" she shrieked at him. "For heaven's sake," Beryl pleaded. "What is the matter?" "I'll tell you," her stepfather declared excitedly. "That feather-brained Irene has left her husband. That's what's the matter!"

"Left him," Beryl repeated incredulously. "What for?" "That's something she hasn't deigned to tell us," Mr. Everett replied with an accusing look at his wife. "She said she couldn't talk about it and your mother upheld her."

"You could give her time," Mrs. Everett whispered. "Time? I've a right to know—" "Mother's right, Dad," Beryl said soothingly. "There are things you can't talk about."

"Well," Mr. Everett blustered, "shushing a trifle, I won't have her

led on in any silly quarrel between her and her husband. You find out before long what she left him for," he added, addressing his wife.

MRS. EVERETT got up to go to Irene, but the expression on her tear-stained face was not submissive. Mr. Everett followed her retreating figure with anxious eyes. "Let's face it," Beryl said to him wearily when he turned back to her. "It's a serious break, but between Irene and Gaylord we can't help. Mother will uphold her in anything. And we've got to think of conditions at the store."

"It's no use," Everett said helplessly. "I'm licked."

"No, you're not," Beryl insisted. "I think we can make something of the delicatessen end of the business. Individual effort counts for everything there. There'll be three women in the house as long as Irene stays. We can do the cooking. Demand is beginning to grow, you know."

"But winter's coming. People won't buy picnic food then and the women won't mind cooking at home so much. Besides, the summer people are going."

"You will be licked if you work over all that," Beryl protested. "Let's try, anyway. Irene can take my place in the store and I'll help Mother at home."

The prospect of having Irene in the store did not please Mr. Everett, but he said nothing against it, and thereby saved himself wasted breath, for Irene refused to take Beryl's place there.

The thought of facing the local public "simply annihilated her," and her mother stood by her. Irene, she said, told her things about her life with Gaylord that she couldn't repeat. The poor child had suffered terribly. Gaylord had been cruel to her in the extreme. He had neglected her and his jealousy was unendurable.

Beryl listened to this recital with her tongue in her cheek. Mr. Everett was made to feel a brute when he dared to question it. To quiet him his wife told him in private that she thought Irene would forgive Gaylord "just the same," in time. And what could they do? Turn her out of the house?

No, they couldn't do that. So Irene stayed to become a poor, pitiful, heart-broken child, too tired to do anything but rest from the "awful ordeal" she'd been through.

Mrs. Everett insisted when Beryl questioned her that Irene helped with the housework and the cooking. But Beryl, who spent most of her time at the store, suspected the truth, for Irene always looked

a few days.

Alva Carlton took dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Sutton of Lone Star.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Carlton and Miss Marie Carlton visited Friday and Saturday at Idabel, Okla., the guest of relatives.

Mrs. W. R. Mattison and family attended the graduating exercises at Hope last week.

Alvin Fuston and daughter, Miss Charlie Bertha, are visiting the bedside of his mother at Waco, Tex., but we are glad to know that she is better. Mr. Fuston is expected home in a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Mattison of Magnolia spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Fincher.

Miss Opal Mattison returned home this week from Little Rock where she has spent the past two weeks with friends. She attended the closing program and graduating exercises of the blind school. One of her friends accompanied her home to spend a few days.

Prayer meeting was well attended Sunday night. Several good talks were made. The quartet arranged by J. B. Silvey was just fine, it was composed of Harold and Parish Martin, Paul Farns and Mr. Silvey.

Mrs. Eva Rogers and children visited relatives near Bodcaw Saturday night.

Several of the people from this place attended the singing at McNeil, Sunday.

Elder J. W. Erwin will preach at Willisville schoolhouse Saturday night.

Health in this community is fine at this writing.

Mrs. Bob Crowder and little daughter, Virginia, of San Antonio, Tex., and niece Miss Allanie are visiting here Saturday night.

Claim They Led Big Liquor Ring



Prominent in Kansas City, Mo., politics, Miss Rosemary Lyon, above, collector of delinquent taxes, and John Lazia, below, president of a north side Democratic club are among those arrested by prohibition agents investigating an alleged gigantic liquor syndicate which the yelaim was financed by Al Capone. Miss Lyon is accused of keeping the syndicate's books.

ing their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Simmons this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bearden and children, visited Mrs. Bearden's sister, Mrs. Beulah Price and family of Melrose Sunday.

Several from this community attended the fifth Sunday meeting at Hope Sunday and reported a fine time and plenty of dinner.

The little granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bailey, of Magnolia is visiting them this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Layce Lee and Harlan and Johnnie Carlton of Union were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ruffe Fincher last Sunday.

Annie Summers, Virginia Crowder and Alla Neil visited Mrs. Glen Fincher awhile Friday afternoon.

Misses Julia and Myrtle Gorden were shopping in Hope Thursday afternoon.

I. A. Fincher of Union visited his son, Ruffe, a few days this week.

Mrs. Thelma City and a friend, from Pine Bluff spent this week end with her mother, Mrs. E. F. Simmons and Mr. Simmons.

Money Circulation Shows Small Gain

U. S. Treasury Reports Increase 35 Cents Per Capita in May

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—The treasury reported this week that per capita circulation of money increased 35 cents in May over April.

Money in circulation last month was \$4,702,283,712. This was equal to \$37.66 per person as against \$37.31 the previous month.

Total money in the United States, including gold coin and bullion held by the treasury, was \$8,871,382,173 on May 31. The treasury held a total of \$3,666,331,951 of gold coin and bullion.

Shover Springs

Health of this community is good at present.

Ozle Reece and family of Hope, called on their parents Monday afternoon.

Mark Reed and family of Minden, La., were Sunday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Reed, Ma.

J. W. England has returned home after a pleasant visit with his daughter, Mrs. Effie Simmons of Rosedale, Miss.

Leon Darwin and family attended

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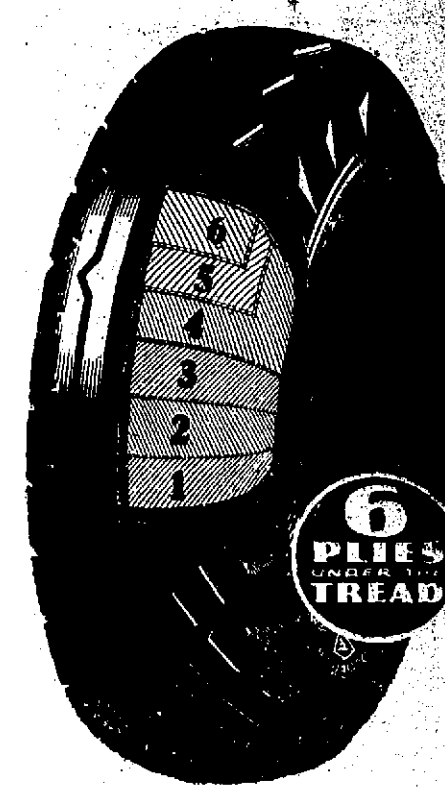
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4.50-20 Chevrolet	5.60	5.60	10.90	10.90	5.00-20 Nash	7.10	7.10	13.60	13.60
4.50-21 Ford	5.69	5.69	11.10	11.10	5.25-18 Marquette Oldsmobile	7.90	7.90	15.30	15.30
4.75-19 Ford Chevrolet Plymouth	6.65	6.65	12.90	12.90	5.25-21 Buick	8.57	8.57	16.70	16.70
4.75-20 Erskine Plymouth	6.75	6.75	13.10	13.10	5.50-18 Auburn Jordan Reo	8.75	8.75	17.00	17.00
5.00-19 Chandler DeSoto Dodge	6.98	6.98	13.60	13.60	5.50-19 Cardinet Marmon	8.90	8.90	17.30	17.30
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FOR SALE—Several used ice-boxes. Prices range from \$5.00 to \$17.50. Some are porcelain lined. See them before you buy. K. G. McRAE HARDWARE CO. 10-10tc

FOR RENT—Rooms, close in, call at 404 East Third street 4-3tc

FOR RENT—Five room house, newly painted. All modern conveniences. 322 South Elm Street. See Mrs. R. M. Jones, 314 Shover Street. 10-3tp

TAKEN UP

TAKEN UP—Four-year-old scorch stock legged mare. Thought to be property of Townsend Heirs. Will be sold for dipping charges and feed bill at Spring Hill, June 15, under act 279 of 1929. Frank Turner, Constable of Spring Hill Township. 4-1t

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—General Motors Frigidaire, 5 ft. size. Porcelain inside and out. Used 2 years and now in perfect condition. Owner wants large size and will sacrifice for \$125.00. Cost new \$325.00. Convenient terms can be arranged. K. G. McRAE Hardware Company. 10-6tc

FOR SALE—Two lots on South Hervey Street, Hope, Ark. A bargain. Mrs. Nancy Willis, 115 Grand Ave., Texarkana, Ark. 8-3tp

Battle Field

The people of this community are rejoicing over the nice rain that fell

Former Anne Stillman and Husband

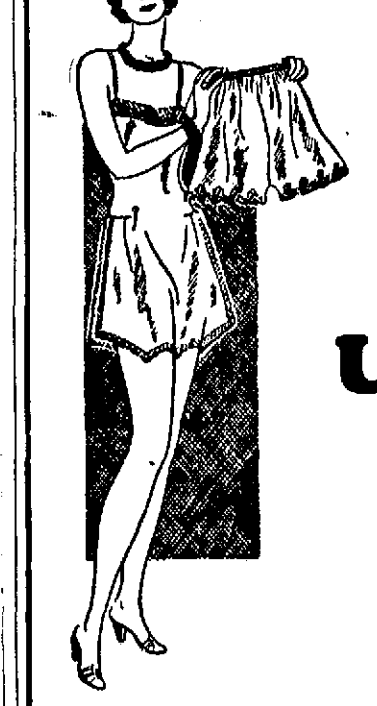


A pair of happy honeymooners on the beach at Easthampton, L. I. Mr. and Mrs. Fowler McCormick here are shown in the first picture after their marriage, which followed by a few hours her divorce from James A. Stillman. Her red hair flying in the wind, and looking only about 30 of her 51 years, Mrs. McCormick was picturesquely attired in striped-top beach pajamas and gay jewelry when a Hope Star-NEA Service photographer found her strolling with her 32-year-old husband. She is the mother of four children including Guy Stillman, who figured in her sensational divorce case some ten years ago, and James (Bud) Stillman, college chum of McCormick.

Henry Chapel

Health in this community is fine at this writing.

Mrs. Bob Crowder and little daughter, Virginia, of San Antonio, Tex., and niece Miss Allanie are visiting here Saturday night.



You know how unusual it is to find pure dye silk used in underwear at anywhere near this low price—And these garments have been much higher priced, they are carefully made—so smartly lace trimmed—that even the most knowing shopper will admit they are a value. HURRY! in to see them—you'll find yourself going home with a season's supply—and your purse will hardly know that you've been shopping.

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ent program.

One cannot think of the year now ending without again visualizing the drouth of last summer, the flood of bank failures and the current business depression. Yet "sweet are the uses of adversity," and in applying these things to newspaper folks I'm reminded of what Will Rogers said in his talk over the radio one night after he had visited England. Ark., on his whirlwind tour in the interest of drouth relief. He said: "Folks, these people here are share-croppers; and when a share-cropper is just only poor, why, he's well off!"

But Arkansas newspaper folks have too much of hickory and steel in their make-up to fail to show resiliency under such conditions. The theme song of this convention is "Arkansas Comes Back," and no agency will have a greater part than the newspapers of the State in swelling that chorus. One effect of such times is to establish a common level, make for greater sympathy and understanding, and bring

folks closer together. We have seen not only our own people, all over the state, working in every possible way to alleviate distress and provide employment, but millions of dollars and carloads of food have been sent from outside our borders—not in a spirit of paupers, but to a valiant citizenship which was even then doing its utmost in a way that inspired all who were correctly informed.

Contrast this, if you will, with the lack of sympathy indicated in the story of the old Irishman who, looking at the evening paper while his wife was in the kitchen, called out: "Lays here in a freight wreck twenty-seven Dagoes and an Irishman were killed!" "Poor Man," sighed the wife.

In this connection I want to borrow from the Arkansas Gazette a recent editorial, which reads:

"Publication last winter in the Los Angeles Times of a traveler's tale that misrepresented Arkansas led the Gazette to enter a protest, which with fairness the California newspaper printed. This incident attracted the editorial attention of the Portland Oregonian, one of the country's leading newspapers, which found in the Times' answer to the Los Angeles Times' writer sufficient evidence to show 'how dangerous it is to judge by appearance alone, and how a current viewpoint may prejudice the observer.' This Oregon comment was reprinted by another newspaper of high standing and wide circulation, the Minneapolis Journal.

"Many inaccurate, unjustified and potentially harmful impressions concerning Arkansas were spread abroad by the publicity attendant on the drouth emergency. In this particular case the Gazette was fortunate enough to find wide circulation for a statement in refutation.

"The letter of protest to the Los Angeles Times set forth such facts as the production in Arkansas in 1929 of 2.47 per cent of the total value of the nation's crops, with a per acre value of \$30, as against a national average value of \$23 to \$24 per acre. It was shown that in the same year Arkansas ranked nineteenth among the states in total value of field, food and truck products, exclusive of animal products, and that Arkansas has at times ranked higher than this, and in certain crops has stood consistently in the forefront. In one recent year, for instance, Arkansas ranked third in production of cotton, third in rice, second in strawberries and fourth in peaches. The marshaling of these facts led the Portland Oregonian to say in its editorial:

"Adversity and misfortune, enforced by the hand of nature, may visit any region, however commonly prosperous, that relies upon the soil for its central livelihood. Such hardships as Arkansas now experiences cannot be traced to niggard and reluctant soil. The evidence is against the theory. A fruitful land, and therefore a pleasant one, has fallen on evil days. But there is no state that has not known its crop failures. Arkansas should be, and doubtless is, looking ahead with undiminished faith.

"Those words were written earlier in the spring. If the man who wrote them were to visit Arkansas in this first week of May he would see all about him, in busy cities and towns,

in planted fields, and in sturdy optimistic men and women, evidences of the undiminished faith with which Arkansas is not merely looking ahead but forging ahead."

Certainly Arkansas newspapermen do not need to be advised of the great resources of our state, nor of the high qualities of our citizenship, but it is well to see that they are being better recognized away from home. Truly, that indomitable spirit which is rising above the conditions which have obtained, and will unquestionably bring us to better days.

In conclusion, a word about newspapers. Ours is indeed a high calling. In our relationship with our several communities, we have the privilege of knowing folks exceeding well. And while this privilege may at times be termed a penalty, just as liberty may become license, I've yet to know a newspaper man worthy of the name who did not strive to do constructive work, and truly serve his community. While I come from a family whose every male member for the past two generations has been a newspaper man, I would not presume to offer you advice. Rather, would I commend to you two facts with which you are already familiar. No newspaper is greater than its local influence, and few are better than the number of names it carries in its news columns. Therefore, know your folks. A well-known columnist aptly wrote under the heading "The Old Home News":

"I scan the daily market tips
And gossip of the stage;
I revel in the comic strips;
I read the sporting page,
Then turn the paper inside out
And run the columns down
To mop up all the news about
The old home town.

"As happenings across the sea
I look a bit askance,
Of little interest to me
Are Germany and France.
So to the local page I turn
And reap a golden store
Of printed things which concern
The folks next door.

"The cable page from far away
Brings news I ought to read,
That I neglect it day by day
Is fatuous indeed,
But not the going-on of kings.
But dope on Bill and Joe,
And Tom and Charley are the things
I want to know.

"Ed Smith has gone to Cedar Fork,
George Johnson's sold his cow,
Elisha Green is in New York
Jake Sharp has bought a plow,
Lige Rudge has moved his Lime Creek lot
Pete Flick has got a churn.
Brief matters such as these are what
I crave to learn."

I thank you.

No Ministers Allowed at Mena Man's Funeral

MENA, Ark.—There was no minister present at the burial of William McNerny, aged eccentric Mena resident, here Tuesday. McNerny, who killed himself with a revolver Sunday, had requested this, and the only relative attending, W. J. McNerny, a nephew, of Sayra, Oklahoma, gave consent.

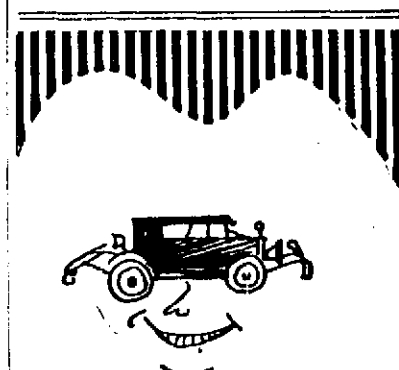
McNerny was buried in a home-made coffin he had constructed several years ago by a local carpenter. He is survived by sisters living in St. Mary's, Kan., St. Louis, Mo., and Walla Walla, Wash. A brother lives in St. Joseph, Mo.

Examination of the aged man's papers revealed that he was a native of Ireland, had been educated in Pennsylvania, admitted to the bar there, and in 1870 had gone to Pottawatomie county, Kansas, where he published a newspaper and later taught school. He also constructed at his own expense, the first school house in Beckham county, Oklahoma.

Two Killed When Car Is Struck by Train

MEMPHIS, Tenn.—(AP)—William M. Allison, employee of a sandwich shop here, and his wife were killed Wednesday when their automobile was struck by a Frisco passenger train at a grade crossing near Miller, Miss. Members of the train crew said the accident was unavoidable.

Allison and his wife were on their way to Holly Springs, Miss.



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Life of Free Lancer to Be Tried by Clara

HOLLYWOOD, Cal.—(AP)—The life of a free lancer—unhampered by long term contracts—is what Clara Bow would like to try when she regains her health and is ready to return to motion picture work.

The little red-head film star, whose contract with Paramount studio was cancelled at her request, expressed this desire as she headed for her ranch in Nevada Wednesday.

"As soon as I am able," she said, "I will become what is known as a free lance player, contracting for a single production at a time. In this manner I believe I will be able to get parts more suitable for me when the time comes for me to stage a comeback, if it can be called that."

"I have definitely decided not to sign a contract with any particular company. There are no deals pending at the present."

"It will probably seem strange to free lance after all these years under one banner but I think I shall like it."

Death of Son's Wife Is Charged to Texan

DIMMITTE, Texas.—(AP)—J. F. Barrett, about 45, Castro county farmer, was in the Deaf Smith county jail at Hereford Wednesday facing a formal charge of murder filed shortly after he had signed a statement in which officers said he admitted shooting to death his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Nora Barrett, 20, Monday.

The shooting climaxed a disagreement between Barrett and his daughter-in-law that began about six months ago, officers said. Until that time, Barrett said, his association with the young woman had been intimate during nearly three years she had been married to his son.

Two Men Are Sought in New York Girl's Death

NEW YORK.—(AP)—Two men, one of whom was described as a prominent politician, were sought Wednesday by District Attorney Elvin E. Edwards of Nassau county, for the slaying of Miss Starr Faithful whose body was found Monday in the surf at Long Beach, Long Island.

Edwards said the men had been seen in the company of the 25-year-old girl after she left her home on 12 St. Lukes place, a few doors from the residence of Mayor Walker, last Friday.

The killing occurred in New York the prosecutor said, after which the girl's body was placed in an automobile, taken to Long Beach, transferred to a rowboat and dropped into the ocean. Long Beach is about 25 miles from Manhattan.

Edwards said the girl had been assaulted.

Fatal Cattle Disease Is Spreading in Clark

ARKADELPHIA, Ark.—Clark county's agricultural agent, Robt. N. Bond, reports that blackleg, a fatal disease among cattle, is prevalent in at least two parts of the county, DeGray and Okolona.

Vaccination against the spread of the disease is in progress in those localities and he is advising other communities to take the same precaution. Not many animals have died and he hopes the disease will be arrested before it makes much headway.

Blackleg is a bacterial disease, said Bond, and attacks calves two to three months old and young cattle, two to three years old. Older cattle are seldom attacked by it. Other outbreaks have been reported in Pike and Cleveland counties.

Two Churches Closed For Violating Order

VATICAN CITY.—(AP)—Papal interdiction has been visited upon Catholic congregations in two towns of Southern Italy where public religious processions were held in violation of the pope's explicit order forbidding them. All services in the churches of Campobasso and Capranza have been suspended and the churches have been ordered closed.

Last week the pontiff forbade the customary outdoor religious processions of Corpus Christi Day, instruct-

ing that throughout Italy the services should be held inside the churches. It was acerritory move against the dissolution by the government of Catholic clubs for laymen.

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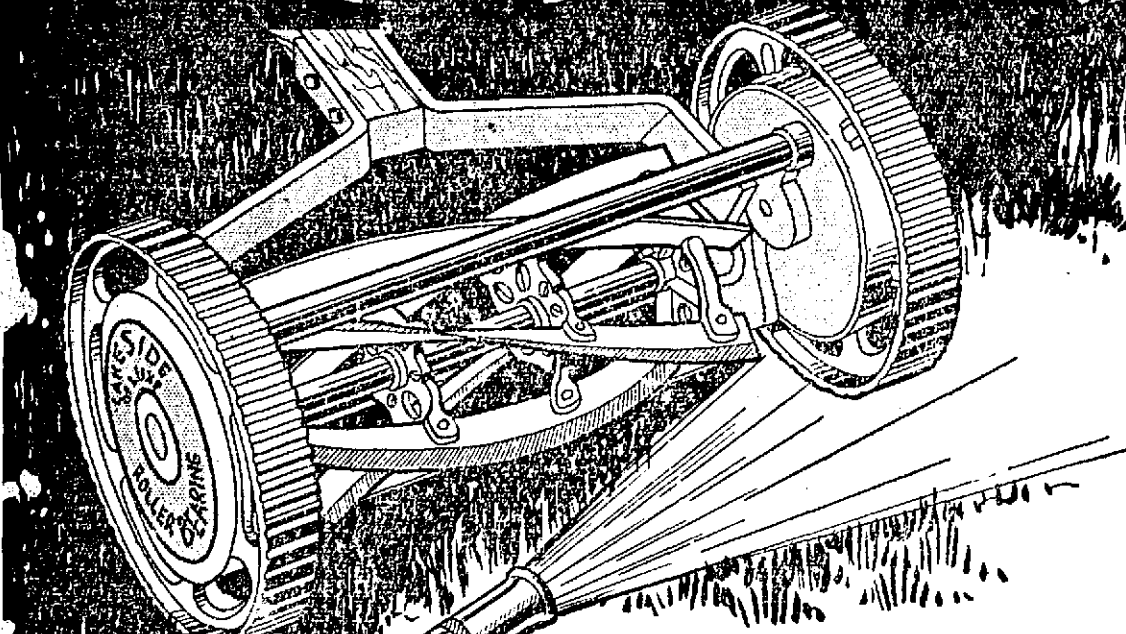


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Union Suits

Here's a genuine checkered nainsook union, cut good and full, athletic model, that is well worth its former price of 75c. All sizes up to 46. June Sale price

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Dress Sox

A fine rayon silk fancy sox, in all of the new colors and every pattern a good one. Formerly sold for 50c a pair. June Sale price

29c

4 Pair for \$1.00 Work Shirts

Not the old, thin ones you can shoot swaws through. But a good close weave, made good and full with two button down pockets, triple stitched and you may have them in blues or greys. This 75c value, June Sale price

49c

Dress Shirts

Genuine broadcloth, in full 7 button length, may be had in white, blue, green and tan solid colors. June Sale price

79c

Piece Goods

One big table of prints and chambrays, including the famous Borden fabrics that can't fade. In values up to 35c. Your choice, June sale price, yard

19c

10c Table Piece Goods

On this table you will find pretty cretonnes, checked gingham, and prints, as well as soft finished bleached domestic and heavy unbleached sheeting, both of them full 36-inches wide. Values to 25c. Choice of this table. June Sale price

10c

Ladies Undies

One group of ladies' step-ins, bloomers, french panties and vests. In all the wanted shades. Former values 50c. June Sale price

35c

3 For \$1.00 Home Dresses

Happy Home Dresses, in voiles and prints. All new patterns, and pretty enough to wear up town. Backed up the Happy Home Guarantee of "Another one if they fade." \$1.00 values. June Sale price

69c

Ladies Hats

Ladies Panama Braid hats, the style they are all wearing now. Made in pure white with colored bands. Values up to \$1.98. June Sale price.

\$1.00

Toilet Goods

At popular prices but not cheap goods. Air Float Talcum, cleansing cream, tissue cream, cold cream, vanishing cream, brilliantine, face powder, bath powder, and dozens of other toilet needs. Regular 25c articles for

10c

Men's Neck Ties

A new shipment that we bought at a shadow of their real worth, new patterns in silks that you will like. Four in hand model. While they last, June Sale price.

49c

Silk Dresses

Here they are at less than half price!

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One big group of beautiful, new crepes—plain or fancy patterns—many lovely chiffons, in the season's new patterns. All are well made, and are designed according to the accepted Summer styles. Values up to \$10.00, during this June Sale at \$4.95.



Dull Silk Hose

For the first time we offer to our trade a genuine grenadine dull silk hose, full fashion and 45 gauge, with peecot tops in every shade. This hose formerly sold for \$2 and every pair is perfect.

\$1.00

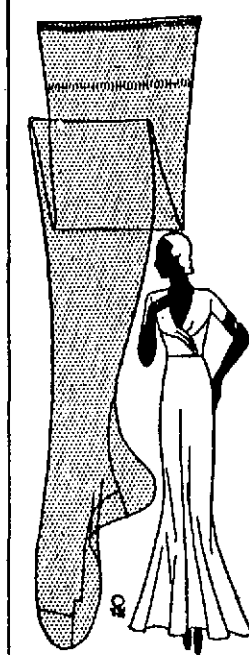
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A pure silk thread hose in all of the new shades. Silk to the top and a wonderful fitter. Regular 98c hose. June Sale price

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All Enna Jettick \$6.00 Shoes
Including White Kids, Blondes, Brown Kids.
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\$3.98



Men's Wash Pants

Just in a new line of Summer wash pants. In white with black stripes, grey two-tone patterns, etc. Made up in the very latest models, and worth up to \$2.00. June Sale price

\$1.49

High Gade Bath Powder

Here's a high grade bath powder, genuine BOKAY brand, in fancy box with dusting puff, former value 50c. June Sale price

25c